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Questions and Answers #4 to Request for Proposals (RFP) Maryland Technical Architecture Framework (MTAF) Project No. F10R4200135

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Received the following questions by e-mail which are answered for all offerors to the referenced RFP, below:

1. **Question:** Are subcontractors required to complete and submit Attachments B and C?

Answer: No. In fact, subcontractors do not submit proposals—only Offerors which are submitting to be the prime contractor.

2. **Question:** Are subcontractors exempt from MBE utilization and required reporting where offeror is itself an MBE?

Answer: No. If the Contractor awarded the contract is also an MBE, the subcontracting goals remain a contract requirement. Reporting requirements for both the prime and the MBE sub are specified in the RFP, Attachment D.

3. **Question:** Since this would be a fixed price contract, please explain the need for actual cost data

Answer: The use of the word "cost" in the RFP, Section 4.5 means the cost to the State or the Offeror's price. Please review the instructions to Attachment F and note that the Volume II—Financial Proposal input is expressed in terms of price. No Offeror internal cost information is required for the purposes of the Volume II—Financial Proposal submission.

4. **Question:** Are subcontractors required to provide the financial capability information required in section 4.4.10?

Answer: No, unless your subcontractor is presented as an Offeror as defined in the RFP, Section 1.2. As you may know, the Contractor is responsible for contract performance, not the subcontractor.

5. Question: Would you consider releasing an updated list of vendors?		
Answer: List attached.		
Date Issued: April 7, 2004	By <u><signed></signed></u> . Norman H. Grinnell Procurement Officer	
Attachment Vendor Distribution List as of 4/7/04		

MTAF Vendor Distrubition List as of 4/7/04

Item	Company	Physical Address
1.	Accenture	225 Duke of Gloucester Street Annapolis, MD 21401
2.	GRC Tech Svc Co Inc. (AT&T)	2000 Corporate Ridge Suite 850 McLean, VA 22102
3.	Bearing Point (KPMG)	130 Admiral Cochrane Drive Suite 351 Annapolis, MD 21401
4.	Blueprint Tech, Inc.	8618 Westwood Center Drive Suite 310 Vienna, VA 22182
5.	Booz Allen Hamilton	8283 Greensboro Drive McLean, VA 22012
6.	Conquest, Inc.	131 National Business Pkwy Annapolis Junction, MD 20701
7.	CSC	7471 Candlewood Road Hanover, MD 21076
8.	Deloitte and Touche	1750 Tysons Boulevard McLean, VA 22101-4219
9.	Earnst & Young LLP	One North Charles Baltimore, MD 21201
10.	Gartner	8405 Greensboro Drive McLean, VA 22102
11.	Headstrong	3050 Chain Bridge Rd., Suite 600 Fairfax VA 22030
12.	НРТі	11955 Freedom Drive Suite 1100 Reston, VA 20190
13.	IBM Global Services	None given
14.	National Systems & Research Co.	5385 Mark Dabling Blvd., Suite 200 Colorado Springs, CO 80918
15.	Northrop Grumman Info Tech	2411 Dulles Corner Park 4 th Floor, Cube 4025 Herndon, VA 20171
16. MBE	Early Morning Software	227 North Holliday Street Baltimore, Maryland 21202
17. MBE	Quality Technology, Inc.	9200 Basil Court Suite 208 Largo, MD 20774
18. MBE	Triton Services, Inc.	17001 Science Drive Suite 100, Bowie, MD 20715
19. MBE	Bay State Computers	4601 Presidents Drive Suite 130 Lanham, MD 20706
20. MBE	Cirdan Group	824 Staffordshire Rd. Hunt Valley, MD 21030
21.	L. E. Peabody & Assoc., Inc.	1501 Duke Street Alexandria, VA 22314

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22.	Jireh Consulting, Inc.	10430 Swift Stream Place, Suite 305 Columbia, MD 21044
23.	Acutek Systems	1 Laurel Leaf Court Potomac, MD 20854
24.	INPUT, Inc.	11951 Freedom Drive, Suite 1000 Reston, VA 20190
25.	Invoke Systems	40 E. Cross Street Baltimore, MD 21230
26.	InfoPro, Inc.	8200 Greensboro Drive Suite 1450 McLean, VA 22101
27. MBE	RESI of Towson University	8000 York Road Towson, MD 21252
28.	Three A's, Inc.	3306 Brookshire Court Upper Marlboro, MD 20772
29.	Alion Science & Technolgy	185 Admiral Cochrane Drive Annapolis, MD 21401
30.	Software Perf Sys, Inc	3141 Fairview Park Drive Suite 850 Falls Church, VA 22042
31.	ALT Enterprises	None given
32.	PEC Solutions, Inc.	12730 Fair Lakes Circle Fairfax, VA 22033
33.	Thomas & Herbert Consulting, LLC	1010 Wayne Avenue Suite 460 Silver Spring, MD 20910